Governments. The scheme provides for matching contribution by Centre and State Governments and 10 per cent of the expenditure being borne by the Voluntary Organisations themselves. Grants are released every quarter on the basis of past commitments till the children grow up and have the Institutions. Additional children are included in the scheme from time to time. During 1985-86 and 1986-87, Voluntary Organisations in Andhra Pradesh were given grants-in-aid of Rs. 25,63,348|- and Rs. 29,61,365|- respectively under the scheme.

B. HANDICAPPED WELFARE

(a) Scheme of Assistance to Disabled Persons for Purchase/fitting of Aids/Appliances;

Under this scheme, grants are given to voluntary organisations and autonomous bodies under the State|Central Governments to provide aids where value ranges between Rs. 25|- and Rs. 3000|- to disable persons, on the basis of the recommendations of the concerned State Governments. During 1985-86, a grant of Rs. 8.20 lakhs was given to Voluntary Organisations|autonomous bodies in Andhra Pradesh under the scheme. No grant was provided during 1986-87.

(b) Scholarships for Disabled Persons:

Under the scheme, scholarships are provided to physically handicapped students for pursuing education from IX Class onwards. Scholarships are also provided for technical and professional training, correspondence courses of study and on the job training of the handicapped. In addition to the scholarship, which varies depending on the course of study, reader's allowance to the blind, prosthetic|transport allowance to orthepaedically handicapped is also provided. During 1985-86 and 1986-87, grants of Rs. 10,00,000|- and Rs. 32,00,000|- respectively were given to Andhra Pradesh under the scheme.

(c) Scheme of Assistance to Organisations for the disabled persons.

Assistance is provided under this scheme for developing services for the disabled for:—

(i) Detection, intervention of primary nature prevention of disability.

(ii) Education and|or training.

(iii) Rehabilitation physical, psychological, social and economic.

Upto 90 per cent of the project cost is provided by the Central Government. The balance is to be arranged by the Organisations out of there own resources or provided by the State Government.

Grants-in-aid amounting to Rs. 8,32,388 and Rs. 21,25002 respectively were provided by the Ministry of Welfare during 1985-86 and 1986-87, under the scheme.

Seeds Export

667. SHRI TALARI MANOHAR: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state the details of the exports of seeds of wheat, maize ragi and vegetables during the years 1985, 1986 and expected exports for the year 1987?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND COOPERATION IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI YOGENDRA MAKWANA): The details of export of seeds of wheat, maize and ragi during the years 1985 and 1986 are given below:—

(In qtls.)

Crops	Year	
	1985	1986
Wheat . .	18,419 20	5,004 00
Maize . . .	5,928 9	—
Ragi . . .	250 00	..

Proposal for export are examined from time to time and decisions are taken in each case on its merit. It is, therefore, not possible to indicate details of the seeds expected to be exported during 1987. During 1987

so far no wheat seed, maize seed and ragi seed has been exported.

The details of export of vegetable seeds which are allowed freely as per Export Policy are not available, except in the case of onion seed export of which is allowed on merit. The details of onion seed allowed for export during 1985, 1986 and 1987 till July are given below:—

1985 . . .	Nil
1986 . . .	616.50 Qtls.
1987 . . . (Till July end)	525.20 Qtls.

Foodgrains Supply under NREP

668. SHRI PRABHAKAR RAO KALVALA: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) what is the quantity of foodgrains, rice and wheat separately supplied to each State under NREP during the years 1984-85, 1985-86 and 1986-87;

(b) whether Government have considered any additional supply of foodgrains under this programme to Andhra Pradesh due to drought conditions prevailing therein; and

(c) if so, what are the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI RAMANAND YADAV): (a) A Statement indicating the State-wise position of foodgrains (Wheat and Rice separately) released under National Rural Employment Programme (NREP) during the years 1984-85, 1985-86 and 1986-87 is given in the Annexure. [*See* Appendix CXLIII, Annexure No. 37].

(b) and (c) No additional foodgrains under N.R.E.P. are proposed to be released to Andhra Pradesh.

Cumulative Production by SAIL

669. SHRI PRABHAKAR RAO KALVALA: Will the Minister of STEEL AND MINES be pleased to state what are the details of the cumulative production of the Steel Authority of India Limited (SAIL) during 1985, 1986 and upto 30th June, 1987?

THE MINISTER OF STEEL AND MINES (SHRI M. L. FOTEDAR): Production of saleable steel by Steel Authority of India Limited from 1985-86 has been as follows:—

('000 tonnes)

	Production
1985-86	6004
1986-87	6321
April-June, 1987	1368

Profits/Loss Account of SAIL

670. SHRI SUNIL BASU RAY: Will the Minister of STEEL AND MINES be pleased to state what are the details of the profit/loss accounts of Steel Authority of India Limited, plant-wise, year-wise, during the last three years?

THE MINISTER OF STEEL AND MINES (SHRI M. L. FOTEDAR): A statement is given below showing the profit/loss earned by SAIL steel plants during the last three years:

(Rs. in crores)

	1983-84	1984-85	1985-86
Bhilai Steel Plant	(—) 2.83	(+) 49.28	(+) 64.38
Durgapur Steel Plant	(—) 63.73	(—) 53.36	(—) 26.52
Rourkela Steel Plant	(—) 100.32	(+) 27.10	(+) 33.62
Bokaro Steel Plant	(+) 0.55	(+) 11.47	(+) 112.93
Alloy Steel Plant	(—) 33.75	(—) 30.02	(—) 28.30
Salem Steel Plant	(—) 18.08	(+) 0.53	(+) 2.92
Other Units	(+) 3.63	(—) 0.76	(—) 0.03
TOTAL SAIL	(—) 214.53	(+) 4.24	(+) 159.00
IISCO	(—) 24.06	(—) 81.60	(—) 60.99

Profit (+) /Loss (—)

The plant-wise profitability for the year 1986-87 will be known after finalisation/audit of the accounts.